

THE RAMBLER

"Several times in the course of my ramblings, I have found a very old man sitting on the doorstep of a very small house facing the river. Each time he sat motionless, smoking a pipe, and with eyes fixed on the brown water flowing on to the sea."

Last night I ventured to say "Good evening." His glance lifted to mine for an instant only and then reverted back to the river. His eyes were almost incredibly youthful and luminous in the midst of his yellow wrinkled face. But he contented himself with a nod for answer.

"It's a beautiful evening," I ventured.

"Is it?" he came back with.

"You're looking at it, aren't you?" I observed.

"I am," he agreed. His voice was as dry as is the sound of leaves rustling before a stiff October wind. I was about to turn away, hopeless of conversation, when he laughed. It was a jolly laugh and surprisingly rich considering the thin little body whence it came.

"Sit down, boy," he said, as he made room for me on the doorstep. We both smoked in silence, the smoke from our tobacco curling lazily upward in the still air, our shadows lying black and incongruous before us on the moonlight pavement. Presently he began:

"My life's runnin' down same's the river—we're buddies, the river and me, except that we're different."

"How different?" I enquired.

"Life," he answered, punctuating his talk with puffs at his pipe, "is like a tin funnel. In the beginning of it 'tis the wide end yer at. There's lots of whom to go this way an' thataway. But as ye go on to the end it narrows and there's only one way to go and that's to the end. And there's but one thing a fella can carry with him that's worth anything."

"And that is?"

His reply seemed a little irrelevant until I thought it over. "Ye have to eat with yerself and drink with yerself and sleep with yerself and be lonesome with yerself, and if ye don't like to look yerself in the eye when yer shavin' yer in a right smart pickle."

"Oh," I said, at length, "you think that self-respect is the big thing in life."

His answer was decisive.

"I do! If ye have it yet needn't worry none about the next world and if there ain't no next world ye needn't worry neither."

"Why not?" I asked.

His rich chuckle became evident again.

"Well," he replied, "if there ain't no next world there won't be no you to worry."

I rose to go. He turned his little eyes up to my face.

"Did ye ever know," he asked,

"that if ye grab a dog be the hind leg he can't bite ye."

"I did not," I retorted. "Why do you tell me that?"

"Bad habits, boy," he replied, "are dogs—see that ye have holt of 'em be the hind leg."

"I'm going to ramble back to the old man some day soon again."

DEMANDS UPON GREECE.

Must Surrender Fleet Dismantle.

Forts and Give Up Railway.

Paris, Oct. 12.—Reports from Athens state that the allies have made the following demands upon Greece:

1. The Greek fleet must be handed over to the Anglo-Franco squadron.

2. The Greek coastal forts must be dismantled.

3. The railway from Piraeus (the port of Athens) to Lariza (in northern Greece) must be turned over to the allied armies.

4. The three warships Greece is permitted to retain shall be dismantled and their crews reduced to two-thirds.

Two of these ships were purchased by Greece from the United States, being formerly the battleships Idaho and Mississippi.

The demands, which in reality amount to an ultimatum, as a time limit is reported to have been set for Greece to comply, are said to have been presented by the commander of the allied fleet in Greek waters, Vice Admiral DeFournet.

Greece it is said, will comply with these demands.

SUBMARINE CAMPAIGN

Germans Say They Are Compelled To Sink Captured Vessels

Berlin, Oct. 12.—The German submarine campaign off the American coast, according to the firm conviction in admiralty and foreign office circles, undoubtedly is being conducted in full accordance with the recognized rules of cruiser warfare, and with the German undertakings toward the United States not to sink

ships without warning, and without making adequate provision for the safety of the passengers and crews.

The decision of the American court in the case of the British steamer Appam, which was awarded to her British owners, after being taken into Norfolk by a German prize crew, makes it impracticable to send prizes into American ports.

Cured Her Children of Colds.

"During the past winter I had occasion to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to my two children, who were at the time suffering from severe colds. It proved to be the very medicine they needed," writes Mrs. Myron J. Pickard, Memphis, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.

NOTICE—Is hereby given that the undersigned will apply at the next term of the Corporation Court for license to sell, dispense and otherwise dispose of Whiskey, Brandy, Ethyl or Grain Alcohol and all other Ardent Spirits in conformity with the Prohibition Law, Chapter 146 of the Acts of the Assembly of Virginia, 1916. Place of business southeast corner King and Alfred streets.

Richard Gibson, Dated Alexandria, Virginia, October 12, 1916. 239-31.

FOR SALE

At public auction, nine (9) desirable building lots, on Saturday, October 14, 1916, at 4 p. m.

These lots are high and dry, require no grading, and are located on the west side of Patrick street between Pendleton and Wythe Streets.

Being outside fire limits purchasers can erect frame dwellings.

Small cash payments, balance monthly.

Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer. 239-31.

"My son nineteen years of age suffered frequently from bilious attacks. My husband brought home a bottle of Chamberlain's Tablets and began giving them to him. They helped him very much. He began to eat heartily and picked up right along," writes Mrs. Thomas Campbell, Kirkville, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.

To Whom It May Concern:

TAKE NOTICE, That I will on the first day of November, 1916, make application to the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, at the Court House thereof, for license to order and receive ardent spirits, wines and alcohols,

which shall be used for cooking, culinary purposes only, or externally with massage in connection with baths, and not to be used contrary to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of Virginia, approved March 10th, 1916, entitled, "An Act to Define ardent spirits and to prohibit the manufacture, use, etc." This notice is published and posted pursuant to the provisions of Section 14 of said Act, and the said application will be made by the undersigned as Manager of the New Hotel Rammel, situated in the City of Alexandria, Virginia.

Given under my hand, this 28th day of September, 1916.

332-3w WILLIAM L. RAMMEL.

NOTICE SOMETHING CHEAP

While it lasts, 50 cords of first class cedar kindling wood at DeW. Aitchison's, 107 south Royal Street. Both phones. 239-67.

CLASSIFIED ADS

LOST

FOUND—This morning, Thursday, October 12, on upper King street, near Union station, tan leather traveling case with initials. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement. Harry W. Rudd, 125 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va. 239-11.

LOST OR STRAYED—Greyhound, named "Butts." Anyone knowing of his whereabouts, kindly communicate with J. M. Rose, 524 King St. Telephone 193 239-31.

FOUND—Pair of eye glasses. Owner can have same by applying at A. L. Cohen's and paying for this add. 237-31.

WANTED

WANTED—A cook, at Seminary, Va. Apply by letter. Mrs. John G. Nash, 516 King street, city. 238-31.

WANTED—Ten girls at Klotz Silk Mill, Wages \$3.50 per week while learning; experienced hands can earn from \$6.00 to \$7.00 per week. Steady work guaranteed. Apply at mill, corner Pitt and Wilkes street. 212-5w.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—211 S. Patrick street, couple or single gentleman, large front room, nicely furnished. All modern improvements, hot water, terms reasonable. 239-31.

FOR RENT—Rooms for rent, Apply at, 603 Queen street. 238-41.

FOR RENT—Very desirable house, 14 rooms, good location, opposite post office. No. 605 Prince St. Apply 607 Prince St. 237-11.

FOR RENT—In the business section, 4 room office; hot water heat. Mutual Fire Ins. Co., Prince and Royal street. 229-121.

FOR HIRE—Ford Touring Car, \$1.50 per hour; Mitchell Six, 5-passenger touring car, \$2.00 per hour; Mitchell Six, 7-passenger car, \$3.00 per hour, Alexandria Auto Co., Bell phone 748. 236-61. street. 229-121.

FOR SALE

SALE—Selling out all wall paper and picture frames at cost. Rawletts, 304 King Street. 239-31.

FOR SALE—Handsome colonial residence, lot 123x88, with garage, northwest corner Duke and St. Asaph streets; residence of late Dr. Thos. S. Gibson. Price \$7,000. Apply Gibson's Drug Store. 238-241.

FOR SALE—Remington Typewriter. No. 6 in good condition, 526 King Street. 236-31.

FOR SALE—2 shares Alexandria Water Company Stock at 125 per share to first buyer. Burke and Herbert. 237-31.

STORAGE—Furniture and household goods stored. Call or phone for rates. C. and P. phone 52. Mount Vernon Auto Company, 115 N. St. Asaph street. 239-31.

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Edgar Warfield, Jr., Dated Alexandria, Virginia, October 12, 1916. 239-31. 12-19-26.

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For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4:37, 7:53, (local) and 9:47, a. m. 12:16, 3:22, 3:32, 5:17 (local) 6:57, 9:47, p. m. daily.

Accommodation for Fredericksburg at 2:23, p. m. Saturdays and 11:18 a. m. other days of week.

Local from Richmond arrives 6:07 p. m. week days and 8:07 p. m. Sundays.

NOTE—Times of arrival and departure and connections not guaranteed.

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Hard Shelled Crabs at the Rammel Cafe, season now open.

S. H. LUNT, Auctioneer.

By virtue of a deed of trust made by William H. Dawson and Jennie R. Dawson, his wife, to the undersigned trustee, bearing date on the 6th day of March, 1916, and duly recorded in the land records of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, in deed book 65 page 202, and at the request of the party thereby secured, default having been made in the payment of the interest note thereby secured the undersigned trustee will offer for sale at public auction, Thursday, October 12th, 1916 at 12 o'clock noon in front of the City Hall, the following described property, improved by a partially complete 7 room frame dwelling, as follows: All of lot numbered 8 in block numbered 19 in section numbered 3 of a certain plan of lots called "Rosemont."

Terms of Sale—CASH, conveying at the cost of the purchaser.

C. S. TAYLOR BURKE, Trustee. 227-121.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF HOUSE AND LOTS IN MOUNT IDA.

By virtue of a deed of trust dated the first day of January, 1912, and recorded in Deed Book 132, page 128, of the land records of Alexandria County, executed by The Mount Ida Realty Company, Incorporated, the undersigned Substituted Trustee, at the request of the parties secured by said deed of trust, default having been made in the payment of the debt secured thereby, will on Monday, October 16th, 1916, at three o'clock p. m., in front of the premises, offer for sale at public auction those certain lots of ground in the County of Alexandria, State of Virginia, with the dwelling house and other improvements thereon, known as lots twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24) and twenty-five (25), in Block Three (3), of Groves' Subdivision of Mount Ida, map No. One, duly of record in Deed Book 120, page 202, in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Alexandria County, Virginia, situated in the town of Mount Ida, County of Alexandria, and State of Virginia.

Terms of Sale: Cash; conveying at the cost of purchaser. A deposit of ten per cent of the amount of the purchase price in cash will be required at the time of sale.

HOWARD W. SMITH, Substituted Trustee. 231-111

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF HOUSE AND LOTS IN MOUNT IDA.

By virtue of a deed of trust dated the 20 day of July, 1911, and recorded in Deed Book 129, page 348, of the land records of Alexandria County, executed by The Mount Ida Realty Company, Incorporated, the undersigned Substituted Trustee, at the request of the parties secured by said deed of trust, default having been made in the payment of the debt secured thereby, will on Monday, October 16th, 1916, at three o'clock p. m., in front of the premises, offer for sale at public auction, those certain lots of ground in the County of Alexandria, State of Virginia, with the dwelling house and other improvements thereon, known as lots twenty-six (26), and twenty-seven (27), in Block seventeen (17), of Groves' Subdivision of Mount Ida, map No. One, duly of record in Deed Book 120, page 202, in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Alexandria County, Virginia, situated in the town of Mount Ida, County of Alexandria, and State of Virginia.

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RAILROADS

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IN EFFECT MARCH 1, 1916

N. B.—Following schedule figures are published only as information not guaranteed.

Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria.

7:37 A. M. Daily—Local between Washington and Danville, delivers connection daily except Sunday at Orange to C and O, No. 403 for Gordonsville and Richmond.

8:47 A. M. Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

9:17 A. M. Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Orange, Lynchburg, Greensboro and Charlotte.

10:22 A. M. Daily—U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points at which scheduled to stop. Coaches and Sleeping cars to Atlanta, New Orleans, Birmingham. Sleeping car Salisbury to Asheville. Coaches for Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville, Greensboro, and Charlotte.

4:22 P. M. Daily—Local for Charlottesville connecting at Calverton for Warrenton.

4:52 P. M. Daily—Birmingham Special. Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Anniston, Birmingham, and Augusta. Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta and Birmingham. Dining car service. Tourist to California daily.

4:02 p. m.—Daily local for Harrisonburg and way Stations on Manassas branch. Pullman Buffet parlor cars.

6:22 P. M. Local for Warrenton.

7:17 P. M. Daily—Augusta Special. Through train with sleeping cars to Charlotte, Columbia, Aiken and Augusta. Through Sleeping cars to Asheville.

10:02 P. M. Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke, Dining car service.

11:02 P. M. Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train. Club and Observation cars to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:27 A. M. Daily—Memphis special. Sleeping cars and coaches for Roanoke, Knoxville, Nashville, Chattanooga, and Memphis. Dining car service. Washington sleeping cars open 10 p. m.

For detailed schedule figures, tickets reservations, etc., apply to

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Terms of Sale: Cash; conveying at the cost of purchaser. A deposit of ten per cent of the amount of the purchase price in cash will be required at the time of sale.

HOWARD W. SMITH, Substituted Trustee. 231-111

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF HOUSE AND LOTS IN MOUNT IDA.

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SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer TRUSTEE'S SALE.

The undersigned Trustee in Bankruptcy of the estate of Sallie P. Lozano, will under and by virtue of an order entered by the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Virginia, on the 30th day of September, 1916, offer for sale at public auction at the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, at eleven (11:00) o'clock a. m. on Wednesday, October 18th, 1916 the following lot of ground improved by a handsome three story brick residence, situated on North Alfred Street, between Cameron and Queen Streets, and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the east side of Alfred Street, 120 feet north of Cameron Street and at the north line of an alley 10 feet wide, and running thence north on Alfred Street 37 feet 8 2-3 inches; thence east parallel with Cameron Street 113 feet 5 inches to an alley 20 feet wide; thence south parallel with Alfred Street, 37 feet, 8 2-3 inches to the first mentioned alley; and thence west on said alley and parallel with Cameron Street 113 feet, 5 inches to the beginning, together with the use of said alleys and all other appurtenances to the same belonging.

Terms of sale: All cash; a deposit of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) will be required at the time of sale, and the balance within ten (10) days after the sale is confirmed; otherwise, the property to be re-sold at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser. Conveyancing at the cost of purchaser.

C. KEITH CARLIN, Trustee in Bankruptcy. 231-121.



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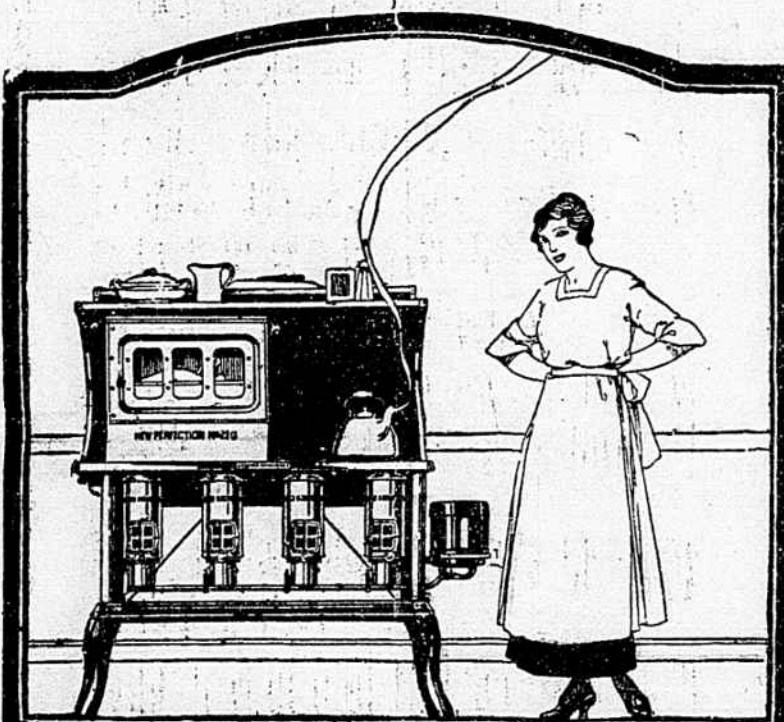
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